

WASHINGTON, D.C. – U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom Vice Chair Michael Cromartie spoke on April 30, 2009 at an event at the Migration Policy Institute about U.S. detention of asylum seekers. Mr. Cromartie discussed findings in the Commission's award-winning 2005 Report on Asylum Seekers in Expedited Removal, as they relate to detention of asylum seekers and efforts by the Department of Homeland Security to implement recommendations made by USCIRF.

“To date, few of the Commission's recommendations have been adequately or fully implemented,” said Mr. Cromartie.

[Michael Cromartie's Remarks at the Migration Policy Institute](#)      [Expedited Removal Study Report Card \(2007\)](#)

[Report on Asylum Seekers in Expedited Removal \(2005\)](#)